

REMARKS

The Official Action of November 1, 2004, and the prior art cited and relied upon therein have been carefully studied. The claims in the application are now claims 1-4 and 7-14, and these claims define patentable subject matter warranting their allowance. Favorable reconsideration and such allowance are respectfully urged.

Claims 5 and 6 have been canceled and new claims 12-14 added. Claims 1-4 and 7-14 remain in the application for consideration.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for his indication that claims 6 and 7 are allowable subject to being rewritten in independent form. In response, Applicant has amended independent claim 1 to include the features of claim 5 and allowable claim 6, and added new independent claims 12-14 wherein the features of allowed claim 7 are made dependent respectively from claims 2-4.

Applicant respectfully submits that claim 1 is now allowable along with dependent claims 2-4 and 7-14, and that this application is now in condition for allowance.


The prior art documents made of record and not relied upon have been noted along with the implication that

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such documents are deemed by the PTO to be insufficiently
pertinent to warrant their applications against any of
applicant's claims.

Favorable reconsideration and allowance are
earnestly solicited.

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